

In 1991 the Nebraska Legislature passed the Nebraska Dispute Resolution Act to promote and develop the practice and use of mediation in Nebraska. It created the Office of Dispute Resolution (ODR) in the Administrative Office of the Courts/Probation to oversee the development and implementation of the Nebraska Dispute Resolution Act. Regional non-profit mediation centers have been approved and funded by the ODR. A state Advisory Council comprised of representatives from diverse backgrounds (the judiciary, the bar, the church, mental health, education, social services and others) advises the Office. Funds from state and private sources help support the mediation program. These centers are private, non-profit corporations that provide mediation services to the public in a variety of contexts.

The Federal Mediation project is a joint effort of the U.S. District Court and the ODR. The court and the ODR work together to provide training opportunities to approved mediators on a continuing basis and also periodically hold the three (3) day training program for lawyer-mediators to become approved by the court.

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